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2. ☒ Specification

137 page(s) of specification; 18 page(s) of claims, 1 page(s) of abstract

3. ☒ Drawings

Formal Figure(s) 1-35D on 29 sheet(s)

4. ☒ Oath or Declaration

☒ Newly executed☐ Copy from a prior application (see 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))

Deletion of Inventor(s) (in continuation or divisional applications):

☐ Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior non-provisional application:

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5. ☐ The entire disclosure of the prior application referred to above is considered to be part of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.
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- ☐ Computer Readable copy
- ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
- ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies
8. ☒ Assignment Papers ☒
9. Power of Attorney
- ☒ Is attached.
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- ☐ Is no longer claimed.
14. ☐ Priority of foreign application number _____, filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(d)
15. ☐ Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 136 for Extension of Time
16. ☐ Other:

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